

DALE GILL GIVEN HIGH 4-H HONOR

Dale Gill, of Springville, was named Tulare County 4-H All-Star for this year at a meeting of the Tulare County 4-H Council held Tuesday evening in Porterville at the high school. Nadene Costner of the Manzinella club, was accorded a similar honor.

Gill, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gill, was chosen by a committee of three as the outstanding 4-H boy in the county on a basis of quality and size of his 4-H project, his general knowledge of his project, his dependability, responsibility, initiative, leadership ability, interest in 4-H work, attaining of consistent project goal and other points.

For his project work, he has raised 30 head of range cattle; has brought three Herefords along for entry in the Tulare-Kings County fair; has sold five cows and heifers and three steers from his range stock and last spring sold a fat Angus at the Junior National show in the Cow Palace at San Francisco.

In addition he won first place in showmanship at the Great Western Livestock show in Los Angeles last year and was awarded a plaque and savings

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Locally Constructed Cooler Helps Poultryman Produce Double A Eggs

Installation of a locally constructed, new-type storage box in which temperature and humidity is controlled, has resulted in the marketing of a greater percentage of double A eggs by L. N. Carpenter, of West Putnam avenue, pioneer poultryman of this district and a director of the San Joaquin Valley Poultry Producers association.

The box, which was constructed by the Jones Locker service of Porterville, is about 30 inches by 40 inches by seven and one-half feet and will hold in storage 12 cases of eggs. Through use of a cooling system, a fan and humidity control equipment, temperature is held between 60 and 65 degrees and humidity at an average of 75.

IDEAL STORAGE

Carpenter states that this temperature and humidity is ideal for egg storage and makes it possible to hold eggs at his place prior to marketing without deterioration,

a factor that has increased his percentage of double A eggs.

Although the cooler has not been in operation long enough to determine definite data, Carpenter believes that he will pay off initial cost and operation expense through the higher egg grades. He plans to keep the box in operation throughout the year.

SIZE VARIED

Previously, Carpenter had cooled a storage room with the desert type water cooler used in many homes—a practice that is common among poultrymen. However, he states that the new system gives exactly the conditions desired and is therefore more efficient.

Size of the cooling boxes can be varied to meet the needs of individual poultrymen. It is stated, and equipment can be set to give any desired temperature and humidity.

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TULARE - KINGS FAIR SHAPING UP AS "BIGGEST EVER"

SON OF GRAND CHAMPION BULL



Ellis Domino, out of Advance Domino the 30th, a grand champion Polled Hereford, is the bull that is being used to build a registered herd at the Avery and Ferguson ranch on the River road south of Springville.

REGISTERED POLLED HEREFORDS RAISED BY AVERY & FERGUSON

It's a far cry from the long-horned, rangy whitefaces that roamed the Springville foothill country a few years ago to the

highly bred, short legged and bulky Polled Herefords that Omer Avery and George Day Ferguson are now raising on their 80-acre ranch south of Springville along the River road.

For, since the days of the Longhorn, breeding of better beef cattle has become big business, and some of the results of selective breeding can be seen in Ellis Domino, herd bull at the Avery and Ferguson ranch, and the 30 head of breeding cows that are running on the ranch's 60 acres of permanent pasture.

TOP BREEDING

Ellis Domino is out of Advance Domino the 30th, a grand champion Polled Hereford of about four years ago. He is now five years old and was purchased by Avery and Ferguson two years ago from the Kuhlman Brothers at North Platte, Nebraska.

All of the ranch breeding stock is double registered, and of good size; Ellis Domino running something over 2,000 pounds and cows running from 1,300 to 1,400 pounds. Young heifers coming on at the ranch will, for the most part, be kept for herd expansion, but several likely-

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Local Groups Planning Booths; Livestock Groomed

Local committees are this week completing plans for display booths, and Future Farmers, 4-H club members and other exhibitors are grooming livestock for entry in the Tulare-Kings County fair, which will open at the Tulare fair grounds September 16 for a six-day run.

Among county communities planning booths are Poplar, Woodville, Terra Bella, Strathmore and Porterville, with committees in these areas gathering and storing all types of farm produce for display purposes.

Beef cattle, dairy cattle, swine, several types of poultry, rabbits and horses from the southeastern Tulare county area will be shown at the fair by adult breeders and by Future Farmer and 4-H club members.

BIGGEST FAIR

According to A. J. Elliott, secretary-manager, indications are that this year's fair will be the biggest in the history of the 24th Agricultural district. Contracts have been let for larger machinery displays; the demand for commercial exhibit space has doubled with the result that another building has been converted to commercial exhibit space, and an additional outside exhibition area under canvas canopies provided. Outstanding livestock and poultry exhibits are anticipated. All the available space for community displays from the two counties has been taken with a keen interest evi-

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Prunes Handled At Dehydrator

Run on prunes was started last week at the P. J. Divizich dehydrator northwest of Porterville, with about 500 tons to be processed.

Practically all the crop will come from the Divizich orchards located in this vicinity.

TULARE COUNTY 4-H COUNCIL SEATS OFFICERS AT PORTERVILLE

Allan Grant, leader of the Willow 4-H club at Visalia, was installed as president of the Tulare County 4-H council at a meeting held Tuesday evening at Porterville Union High School. Installing officer was John A. Emo, assistant county farm advisor.

Other incoming officers were: Mrs. J. D. Andreas, Earlimart, vice president and Mrs. L. W. Michalk, Union 4-H club leader, secretary-treasurer, the latter re-elected to the position. Outgoing officers were: R. K. Andrews of Munson, president and Louie Muller, of Ducor, vice president.

BUSINESS SESSION

Business of the meeting included an illustrated talk by Emo on "Project Goals" and the keeping of record books, in addition to outlining of general plans for county 4-H work during the next year. Miss Theresa M. Varney, assistant home demonstration agent, lead clothing leaders in a discussion of "Sewing Tools, Their Selection, Use and Care."

Ted Cairns of Lindsay and Mrs. Michalk reported on the recent state 4-H convention at Davis and Joe Bono, of Tulare, told of plans to rebuild the Whitaker forest camp that was recently damaged by fire.

POTLUCK DINNER

Harold Hargiss, who is in charge of the newly-formed junior agriculture and horticulture division of the Tulare-Kings County fair, urged that 4-H clubs enter exhibits and James Muller, of Ducor, spoke briefly on the Davis convention.

Dale Gill of Springville and

Nadene Costner of the Manzinella club, were announced as Tulare County All-Stars and Vernon Gill told of plans for a 4-H fat stock sale on Saturday, September 20, as a climax of 4-H activity in connection with the Tulare-Kings county fair.

A potluck dinner in the school cafeteria preceded the evening business session.

COTTON PICKING WILL START HERE MIDDLE MONTH

Cotton picking in the Woodville, Poplar and Porterville areas will start about the middle of the month, it was reported this week by representatives of the four gins serving this district—the Woodville Gin, Inc., the Tule River Cooperative Gin, Inc. and the two San Joaquin Cotton Oil Company gins.

Weather will determine the exact date, however it is likely that some cotton will be picked between September 15 and 20, with general picking to start probably by early October. Peak of the season will be reached in late October or November, it is stated.

Crop is still looking good generally on the 100,000 acres of harvestable fields in Tulare county. In the San Joaquin valley is 536,000 acres of cotton, a figure that represents an increase of 49 per cent over last year.

Tulare county acreage is about 30 per cent greater than last year.

From Washington comes word that 275,000 feet of steel pipe, originally intended for shipment to Russia, will be sold to farmers in seven western states as surplus property.

Entries have already started coming in, it is reported, for the Grand National Livestock Exposition, Horse Show and Rodeo to be held in the San Francisco Cow Palace beginning November 1.

A new high of \$26.44 average price was paid for 1,306 head of sheep at the 32nd annual national ram sale held recently at Salt Lake City, Utah.

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ROASTING RULES

Roasting, as used in the home, means the application of dry heat, with meat to be roasted placed in an oven uncovered and without the addition of liquid.

General rules for good results are: season with salt and pepper; place fat side up on rack in open roasting pan; use slow oven, 300 to 350 degrees F.; add no water, do not cover, do not baste; roast to desired degree of doneness.

Any large, tender cuts or ground cuts of beef, lamb, veal or pork may be roasted, with the following cuts especially suited: beef ribs, beef rump, beef loaf, veal leg, veal loin rack, veal shoulder, veal loaf, pork loin, pork shoulder, pork leg or fresh ham, spareribs, pork loaf, smoked ham, smoked shoulder butt, ham loaf, lamb leg, lamb shoulder and lamb loaf.

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HOUSEHOLD HINTS . . .

In measuring melted butter in to a receipt, measure the proper quantity of butter after melting, not before.

To prevent fruit from settling to the bottom of fruit cakes, shake the fruit in flour and add it to the cake mixture at the last minute.

A small dish of water in the oven when baking bread will prevent the crust from getting too hard.

Egg whites beaten in an aluminum pan will be darkened.

Lumps in batter may be avoided by adding a pinch of salt to the flour before it is wet.

Whites of eggs will whip more readily if a pinch of salt is added. They will whip easily if eggs are placed in cold water for a time before being broken.

Thermoplastic Wax For Frozen Foods

New development in the frozen food field is a thermoplastic wax wrapping that is used in place of paper for wrapping frozen foods.

Marketed under the trade name, "No-Air Wrap," the wax is said to adhere closely but does not stick to the surface of foods coated with it. It seals the surface completely thereby preventing drying and at the same time preserving food flavor.

The wax, which is particularly suited to fish, meat, poultry, vegetables and fruit is easily removed by submerging in luke-warm water. Before the coating is removed, food is allowed to thaw completely.

Good Cookies Offer Treat For Entire Family

Good substantial cookies are a treat to youngsters and are convenient to have on hand to serve with fruit or light desserts. The Rock recipe given below seems to take a considerable amount of expensive ingredients but the cookies are really good, keep well and you really have a jar full when finished.

The Drop cookie recipe makes only about two dozen cookies. However a small recipe is more quickly baked which is sometimes an important factor.

ROCKS

- 1 pkg. brown sugar.
- 1 cup shortening.
- 4 eggs.
- 2 to 3 tsp. vanilla.
- 3 1/4 to 4 cups flour.
- 1 1/2 tsp. soda in 1 1/2 tbs. water.
- 2 cups nuts.
- 2 cups raisins.

Cream sugar and shortening. Add eggs unbeaten and mix thoroughly. Add water with soda then add flour. Stir in Vanilla, nuts and raisins. Bake on greased cookie sheet 350 oven for 12-15 min. Makes about 6 doz. cookies.

NORWEGIAN DROP COOKIES

- 2/3 cup brown sugar
- 1/3 cup shortening
- 1 egg
- 2/3 cup flour
- 1/3 tsp. soda
- 1/3 tsp. nutmeg
- 1/3 tsp. cinnamon
- 1/3 tsp. cloves
- 1/2 cup of raisins, nuts or dates may be added.

Cream sugar and shortening, add beaten egg. Lastly add sifted

dry ingredients. Drop by scant teaspoonfuls on a greased cookie sheet. Bake at 350 about 10 min.

Refreshing Desserts Made From Citrus Fruit

Here are two easy and refreshing desserts using citrus fruits. Both have the advantage of early preparation and simple serving.

The lemon pudding is a light, though filling dessert with a cake top and lemon custard bottom. The orange ice takes a few ingredients and is a delicious dessert served alone or with cookies.

Lemon Cake Pudding

- 1 cup sugar
- 1/4 cup flour
- 1/8 tsp salt
- 2 tbs melted butter
- 5 tbs lemon juice
- Grated rind of lemon
- 3 well-beaten egg yolks
- 1 1/2 cups milk, scalded
- 3 stiff-beaten egg whites

Combine sugar, butter, flour and salt; add lemon juice and rind. Combine egg yolks and milk and add to first mixture. Fold in egg whites and pour into a greased casserole or custard cups. Bake in a pan of hot water in a moderate oven (350) 45 min. or until mixture is firmly set and has a delicate brown crust. Serve thoroughly chilled. Serves 8.

Orange Ice

- 1 cup milk
- 1 cup white syrup
- 1 3/4 cups orange juice
- 1/4 cup lemon juice
- 3 stiffly beaten egg whites
- Pinch salt

Combine milk and syrup and

blend thoroughly. Add orange juice, lemon juice and salt. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into refrigerator tray and freeze until almost firm (about an hour). Remove from tray and beat until mushy. Return to tray and finish freezing. Serves 4 to 6.

Under new federal plant quarantine laws, many garden variety plants that carry insect pests dangerous to commercial crops, must be inspected before they can be brought into the country.

Walnut crop in California is estimated at 61,000 tons for 1947 as compared to 63,000 tons last year.

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FAIR WILL BE "BIGGEST EVER"

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denced to present unusual and informative exhibits.

The large new School Exhibition building will open its doors for the first time at this year's fair. It will house school exhibits from the two counties, the work of Future Farmer and 4-H Clubs, as well as the arts, crafts, hobbies and domestic science divisions. This school exhibition building is the first of its kind in the San Joaquin Valley, and it is the endeavor of the Fair Association to present to the parents of the children in this area a graphic and comprehensive document of educational achievement.

BUILDING IMPROVED

New buildings have been provided for additional livestock with sleeping quarters provided in each barn for livestock exhibitors. Tack rooms and showers have been provided for the junior divisions which will enable Future Farmers and 4-H Club members to properly care for their stock and equipment and comfortably quarter its members.

Tuesday is Children's day and all school children will be admitted to the fairgrounds free, and there will be appropriate entertainment for their enjoyment.

Wednesday is Pioneer day with special entertainment, speakers and comfortable facilities provided for picnickers under the trees.

HORSE SHOW

The Night Horse show will be held Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday with classes that will appeal to all types of horse lovers. Races will be featured each afternoon and three nights with some well-known trotters and pacers providing additional thrills in the Harness Horse races.

The cafeteria which was new on the fairgrounds last year has been enlarged and has one of the finest equipped kitchens on the west coast. There are separate walk-in boxes for vegetables and meats, with modern ovens for pastries and a pressure cooker capable of roasting 12 turkeys at one time in 20 minutes. Visitors will find many new innovations provided for their comfort and eating pleasure, and every endeavor is being made to serve good food at reasonable prices.

VAUDEVILLE ACTS

The newly oiled and macadamized roads throughout the fair grounds will eliminate the dust and dirt of former years and mo-

tor lorries will again transport visitors around the grounds.

The most outstanding acts of vaudeville ever to make their appearance at the fairgrounds will be a daily attraction, both afternoon and evening, with a free vaudeville show in the main pavilion twice daily, followed by a new feature of this year's fair entertainment program, a free dance each night with Tommy Smith's orchestra.

Raisin Production Outside U. S. Is Lower This Year

The 1947 preliminary forecast of raisin production in the eight leading commercial countries outside the United States is 170,700 short tons compared with 202,400 tons in 1946 and 195,000 tons in 1945.

That report was received by the Federal-State Market News service from the Office of Foreign Agricultural Relations of the U. S. department of agriculture. The Market News service quoted the U.S.D.A. report further as follows:

"The commercial crop in these countries (Argentina, Australia, Chile, Greece, Iran, Spain, Turkey, Union of South Africa) is expected to be about 19 per cent less than the five year average (1941-1945) of 211,000 tons, and 22 per cent less than the ten year average (1936-1945) of 219,000 tons.

"The forecast indicates the smallest probable foreign output since 1931 when only 155,300 tons were produced.

"While it is still too early for an estimate of California production, all present indications are that it will be large. The anticipated California production and some carry over, plus that of the eight countries mentioned, probably will be in excess of the five year average production in those countries.

"The greatest declines in output are anticipated in Turkey and Iran. The production of raisins this spring in Argentina, Australia, and Union of South Africa was below that of last year and the 5 and 10-year averages. The only countries which showed increases this year were Greece, Spain and Chile. The Chilean rise was very slight.

California wheat production this year is estimated at 12,028,000 bushels or 360,840 tons. This is slightly less than last year and under the past 10-year average.

DISTRICT FIGHTS YELLOW SCALE IN SOUTH COUNTY CITRUS AREA

BY R. J. OWEN, JR.

Manager, Southern Tulare County Citrus Pest Control District

During the past year, much progress has been made in discovery and control of yellow scale in citrus groves of this area and at the present time, as far as we know, all known infestations are controlled or eradicated within the Southern Tulare County Citrus Pest control district, which covers the citrus area from Welcome road, south, to the Kern county line.

Danger of Yellow scale spread, however, still exists, with one principal source of infection being from ornamental plants brought into the area for yard planting. Last winter, in the city of Porterville, we found more than 80 infestations of Red and Yellow scale mostly on plants or shrubs brought in from other districts.

ON SHRUBS

City dwellers, or anyone bring-

ing in plants from outside areas will be performing a real service if they have these plants inspected when they arrive. This can be done by contacting Gordon Swang, deputy horticulture inspector in this district at telephone 850-J, Porterville.

In order to control Yellow scale, we also need the help of all citrus growers in the district. Early discovery of the pest and a report to us will allow immediate control and eradication action before it has a chance to spread.

INSIDE TREE

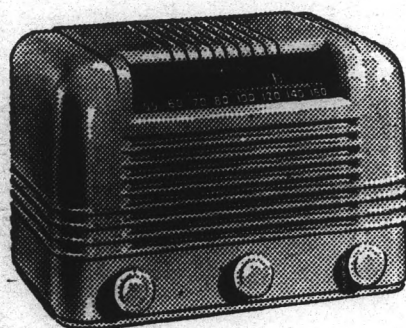
The scale is most likely to appear first on foliage on the north side of the tree and inside the tree. It also shows up on fruit, and is often discovered by pickers or by packing house graders.

The scale can be spread from grove to grove by pickers, by loaders, by bags, by dusting outfits and by spray rigs. Suggested

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Cemos, Cannellas Plant Cauliflower

Approximately 50 acres of cauliflower will be planted this fall by Cemo Brothers and Cannella Brothers at Terra Bella and Ducor. It is expected that planting will be done in September.

In addition, the Cemo Brothers have in 10 acres of Blue Lake pole beans east of Terra Bella.

Tulare county has been selected as one of 200 counties in the nation in which the United States government will offer crop insurance to 1948 wheat growers.

Springville chamber of commerce will hold its next regular meeting the third Monday in September.

what is believed to be the first San Joaquin valley cotton of the 1947 season.

The Cotton came from the Bryan ranch three miles west of Corcoran. It was described as good middling grade with one and one-sixteenth inch staple.

State Chickens Show Gain For Year

As of July 1, this year, chicks and young chickens raised on farms in the United States were listed as 742,047,000, about the same as last year and three per cent less than the average 1935 1946 average. Chickens raised on farms in California this year were estimated at 27,093,000, an increase of 8 per cent over last year.

The figures were announced by the California Crop and Livestock Reporting Service at the state department of agriculture.

Increases over last year were observed in the Western States, North Atlantic states, and East Central states, while decreases occurred in the West North and central, South Atlantic and South Central areas.

California baby chick production in July is estimated at 3,550,000 chicks, 32 per cent above the small hatch of July 1946. The past month's production of baby chicks in this State is less than half the output in July 1945, when there seemed no limit to the demand for meat birds. It is about equal to July 1943 and exceeds records for all other years.

Growth in meat bird demand has been substantial in spite of high feed prices and periods of market weakness. About 62 per cent of the California chicks hatched in July were heavy or cross breeds, and 38 per cent light breeds.

Rabbit Breeders' Group Will Meet In September

Permanent organization will be discussed at the next regular meeting of the newly-formed local rabbit breeders association, to be held at Porterville high school the third Friday in September at 8:00 o'clock in the evening.

The organization was tentatively set up at a recent meeting attended by 22 southeastern Tulare county rabbit breeders. Gorge A. Sears of Terra Bella was named temporary chairman and Mrs. Virginia Goman, temporary secretary.

Named at the initial meeting to draw up a constitution and by laws were Fred Goman, Geo. Gerdes and Elwood Easley. This committee held its initial business session recently at the Sears home.

Apple harvest on the Pacific coast this year is expected to exceed 1946, however the Bureau of Agricultural Economics reports that pear, peach and prune crops will be smaller.

General farm prices in California continued to rise for the period, mid-June to mid-July, according to the Federal-State Market News service.

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Junior Division Livestock Entries At Fair Increase

At a recent meeting of Future Farmer leaders of Tulare and Kings counties, an outstanding increase was scheduled in Junior

Division livestock entries at the Tulare-Kings County fair during its run from September 16-21, inclusive.

Dairy and beef cattle entries will be increased 50 per cent with swine entries running close to a 200 per cent increase. Sheep, goats, and poultry also will be well represented this year, and an egg laying contest is scheduled as an added attraction.

Homer Green of Tulare, well-known young farmer of the district, was chosen to act as director of the Junior Division.

GUERNSEY HEIFER TO BAKERSFIELD SALE

Ray Kennedy, whose has one of the few registered Guernsey dairy herds in Tulare county, plans to send a six-month old heifer to the Future Farmer Invitational Guernsey sale to be held at the Bakersfield high school farm on Stein road, October 11.

Melon growers in the Mendota, Firebaugh, Coalinga and Huron areas have in a total of 3,750 acres this year.

\$2.50 Scale Recommended For Cotton Picking

Some 300 cotton growers, meeting last week in Fresno, recommended a cotton picking wage scale of \$2.50 a hundred for the 1947 season. No recommendation was made for second picking or snapping.

Last year's recommended wage was \$2.75 a hundred, which was raised to \$3 by United States Department of Agriculture Wage board. Second picking last year brought \$3.25 a hundred and snapping, \$1.50.

ENTOMOLOGISTS ADDED TO STATE STAFF

Three supervising survey entomologists have been added to the staff of the California department of agriculture to work in control of insect pests and plant diseases injurious to the state's crops.

Sugar beet production in California this year is estimated at 2,695,000 tons, about 30 per cent above last year.

Borror Holsteins Second In Nation

Second in the nation is a herd of 36 head of Holsteins at the F. S. Borror and Sons Sequoia Stock farm at Springville, according to an announcement from the Holstein-Friesian Association of America.

The herd averaged 511.4 pounds of butterfat from 13,917 pounds of milk during the test period, or 3.7 per cent, on a twice-a-day milking schedule.

The Borror herd is surpassed in this class only by Lakeland Farms of Clarkston, Michigan. The Borror herd holds the record for highest average among herds of more than 50 cows milked twice daily.

THE OLD DAYS

From The Files Of The PORTERVILLE ENTERPRISE
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August 31, 1900

Last Saturday the Republicans held their primaries for delegates to the convention tomorrow at Visalia and the following were elected:

J. E. Shuey, R. H. McDonald, George McCalister, J. N. Larson, E. L. Burford, C. H. Claubes, A. M. Quinn and W. A. Hall. East Porterville: J. A. G. Smith, R. Millick, J. C. McCabe and S. J. W. Tyler. Orange: A. G. Schulz, John Hossack, H. A. Frame and E. W. Beebee.

Our A. M. Lumley lost the Democratic nomination for assemblyman just by a scratch but came out of the fight without a scratch. He made a clean, open fight, singlehanded.

The first vote showed him to be the strongest man of the three and his delegates stayed manfully by him for four ballots. Harry Levinson, the winner, is a bright active man who attends to his own business and is a friend to everybody. He ought to run like a coyote.

Mike Mitchell and Nelson Hallock came down from White Riv-

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er, Wednesday. The latter brought about \$600 worth of gold from his mine, the Eclipse.

J. C. Hayes and wife and Jim Niles and wife returned Tuesday from a trip to Santa Cruz and other coast points.

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Sam McCutcheon is hauling his baled hay to Springville.

Our ambition young friend, Perry McDonald, of Welcome,

left for Stanford university, Monday.

R. W. McFarland has been nominated for supervisor from this district. He was for years a merchant in Porterville but is now farming in Frazier valley.

Mrs. A. B. Clements is quite a shot, having killed 19 cotton-tails near Daunt with a .22 rifle.

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BY BILL BAUCOM

Fellow Sportsmen, if we are to have the privilege of enjoying the wilderness areas, within our great country, then we must learn to protect rather than destroy the natural resources. So-called sportsmen each year destroy thousands of acres of valuable timber, to say nothing of the destruction to the watersheds, and wildlife, thru fire. Careless use of matches and fire is inexcusable and may result in the outlawing of hunting and fishing. Let's be sportsmen.

With the opening of the deer hunting season in part of the state, reports are coming through of hunters killed or wounded by fellow hunters. Make sure you have a legal buck in your sights before you shoot. Be sure, rather than sorry. How can hunters gain the confidence and respect of their fellow citizens when does, horses and fellow hunters are killed each year?

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Almonds Shipped To Sacramento

Members of the California Almond Growers exchange have started shipments, with two cars leaving the district last week.

It is estimated that at least eight cars will be shipped during the season with each car carrying from 20 to 25 tons. Shipments are being handled this year through Pete Ferguson at the Terra Bella warehouse.

Construction work is nearing completion at the Tule River Cooperative Gin, Inc., at Woodville, with the new building up and with considerable new machinery in place.

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Dale Gill Given High 4-H Honor

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bond by the California Bankers' association.

Gill is in his seventh year of 4-H work. He has served as a junior leader and an assistant leader. He plans to enroll this month for his first year at the California College of Agriculture at Davis.

DISTRICT FIGHTS YELLOW SCALE

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ideas for prevention of spreading include: 1. Inspect the trees and shrubs that you plant on your property; 2. Check equipment entering your grove; 3. Keep employees on the alert for discovery of Yellow scale; Be Yellow scale conscious yourself.

DISTRICT DIRECTORS

Directors of the pest control district are: W. J. Ferguson, president; Edwin A. Fisher, secretary; Roy Southwick, William M. Baird and W. E. Lonquist, directors. The district was formed in 1939.

If you think you have discovered Yellow scale in your grove, or if you want additional information, call R. J. Owen, Jr., at 1273-J, Porterville, or notify your packing house manager.

Plane Crop Duster Experiments With Grain Fire Control

Experiments in the control of grain fires by use of chemicals spread from a crop dusting airplane are being made near Huron on the west side of the San Joaquin valley, by George Willet, duster, and several farmers.

Chemical used in initial tests was DuGas, a powder that is highly effective in fire control. It was found that the powder stopped a stubble field blaze, but that as the powder drifted away, embers again caught and reset the fire.

At the present time an effort is being made to develop a heavier power that will lie close enough to the ground to prevent fires from re-igniting.

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James Muller Plays Prominent Part At Convention

Local and Tulare county delegates to the California 4-H Club convention returned Saturday evening from Davis, where they had spent three days participating in a program arranged by the Agricultural Extension service and directed by James Muller, California Diamond All-Star from Ducor.

Friday afternoon and evening was spent visiting the state fair in Sacramento. In the evening the delegates paraded 1000-strong, all dressed in white uniforms, before the grandstand filled with several thousand spectators. A citizenship ceremony was held in which 60 Senior Club members were inducted into citizenship. James Muller of Ducor was among those inducted, with Muller, representing the club members being inducted, responding to the "Charge of Citizenship" given by Dean K. A. Ryerson of the college of agriculture.

The convention activities closed Saturday noon. The 60 delegates from Tulare county travelled by chartered busses.

Speed for cars towing horse trailers is 45 miles per hour, according to E. Raymond Cato, chief of the California Highway patrol.

First Emperor grapes were picked last week in the Exeter district for export shipment.

Ralph Aldridge To Direct Pigeon Department At Fair

Ralph Aldridge, of Porterville, will direct the pigeon department at the Tulare-Kings County fair, which will open in Tulare, September 16, for a six-day run.

Indications are that this department will double its entry list, with birds coming in from all sections of the west coast. Special prizes and awards have been set up for exhibitors who will show rare and unusual birds.

State Director of Public Works Charles H. Purcell has announced that \$33,000,000 worth of state highway contracts will be approved by March 1 of next year.

A group of University of California students are studying irrigation and power developments in California that might be applicable to the Nile river area in Egypt.

Kings' county crops in 1946 were valued at \$54,104,118 representing an increase of nearly \$18,000,000 over 1945.

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RABBITS AND PIGEONS PRODUCED COMMERCIALY AT TERRA BELLA

Production of rabbits and pigeons, started about two years ago on a home-food basis, has grown into a commercial enterprise at the George A. Sears ranch east of Terra Bella where Mr. and Mrs. Sears now have some 400 rabbits and 800 pigeons and are operating under the name, Grandview Rabbitry and Squab farm.

A local market has been developed to handle all squabs and young meat rabbits that the Sears produce and at the present time they are increasing the numbers of both rabbits and pigeons.

REGISTERED STOCK

New Zealand Whites are the rabbit breed selected by the Sears and much of their breeding stock is registered. They plan to build a rabbitry of completely registered stock in the future.

The rabbits are housed in individual pens, most of which Mr. Sears built himself. Each doe produces four litters per year, averaging about eight young, and on each pen is a production record of the rabbit housed.

Covering the pens is a high, lath house to break the summer

We Only Heard

By Bill Rodgers

If you depend on migratory laborers to harvest your crops, better join up with the Tulare County Rural Housing association. Your \$10 membership fee is money well spent.

CITY FOLKS

Many city dwellers get the idea that if they could buy a farm & settle in the country, they could at least live happily ever after. Perhaps some of them could, but others have their troubles, as in the case of the new farm owner who decided to buy a few head of cattle at a local auction sale. He jumped right into the bidding at \$18, \$19 and \$20; bought an even dozen and attempted to settle with the auction clerk for \$243, as he had figured his bill. But the clerk said, "That will be \$2,769, please," and it was only then that this new farmer found

sun. Mr. Sears states that if properly shaded, rabbits suffer no ill effects from the local summer heat.

SKINS SHIPPED

Although meat produced is sold in Porterville, skins are shipped to fur buyers, after being dried but not tanned. It is stated that about 38 trade names exist for women's furs that come from rabbit.

In their pigeon lofts, the Sears have White Kings, Homers and Commons. White Kings produce the largest squabs, average being about one pound, however, the Homers are more prolific. The Homer squabs run about three-quarters of a pound.

The squabs are marketed after they feather out and just before they are ready to come off the nest. During the late summer season production is low, since pigeons go through a molt much the same as chickens, Mr. Sears states.

NAVY CARRIERS

Original start for the Sears' Homers came from Moffitt field where that type of pigeon was used in lighter-than-air craft for carriers. Mr. Sears served at Moffitt during the war and received eight pair from the field when he started his project at Terra Bella after leaving the navy.

The Sears state that at the present time both their rabbit and pigeon production is only on a commercial basis, but that possibly by next year they will have both rabbits and pigeons for show competition.

he had been bidding by the hundred, not by the head.

IDEA

What with Admission day coming up September 9, Ward Lusk, of Porterville and Strathmore, recalls that some place he has heard that the colors yellow and black are used on California auto license plates to signify two of the state's great sources of wealth—yellow gold, for which California first became famous, and "black gold" for which it is still famous. Ward suggests that if this is actually the case, a third color—white, should be added to signify our third great wealth, our "white gold," and possibly our greatest wealth—water.

THIS AND THAT

Source of worry are wrecked airplanes in our mountain country. The Army Air Rescue Service is painting them bright yellow so that pilots flying over will stop reporting the old ones. . . . Proved cases of rabies in this county have dropped from 30 a couple of years ago to two last year as a result of compulsory vaccination of dogs. . . . And now oranges are going high hat. One of the late citrus fruit by-products is citrange eau de cologne. You can get it at local drug stores.

FIELD WORKERS

Following the closing of the Porterville Farm Labor office August 31, the work of farm labor placement is being conducted on a temporary basis by field workers operating out of the county office in Visalia.

Al Webster, who has headed the Porterville office, will handle the Porterville and Tulare districts. He may be reached locally at the Porterville chamber of commerce office in the city hall building.

It is expected that after the first of the year the United States Employment service office in Porterville will take over the farm labor placement job.

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Exports of food items from the United States for the first half of this year were valued at \$1,241,000,000, an increase of \$30,000,000 over the same period last year.

University of California scientists are attempting to develop a tomato that is resistant to mosaic, fusarium wilt, verticillium wilt, root knot nematode and curly top, according to Ralph L. Worrell, assistant farm advisor of Tulare county.

POLLED HEREFORDS DEVELOPED

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looking young bulls will be up for sale.

Both Avery and Ferguson are "sold" on the Polled Hereford as a beef animal. They state that the polled breed was started 40 years ago in Iowa and as a result of inbreeding to eliminate horns, size suffered.

At the present time, however, they say, the breed has been brought back to size and is rapidly gaining in popularity. Avery says that last year Polled Herefords topped fat cattle sales at Denver, in Mississippi and Texas and took two of three top places at Chicago.

PURCHASED 480 ACRES

In line with their ranch expansion program, Avery and Ferguson recently purchased 480 acres just south of Springville that includes the old location of Daunt. This spot has been land-marked for years by the stone chimney that stands in a bed of tules and cattails just west of the main Springville road.

At the present time an earth dam is being constructed west of the chimney and it is expected that a lake of about 10 acres in area will be formed. Water from this lake will be used to irrigate permanent pasture that will be planted on the surrounding hillsides. About 50 acres will be placed under this irrigation system.

As a historical sidelight on the Daunt area, a "Business Directory and Historical and Descriptive Hand-Book of Tulare County" published in the year 1888 and owned by F. E. Carpenter of Porterville, has this to say:

"Daunt is located on upper Tule river, 15 miles above Porterville. Daunt is not a town, at least not yet. In a picturesque little nook under the hills, Mr. William G. Daunt keeps a store and postoffice. That is all there is to Daunt at present, but who knows what the future may have in store?

"Tule river goes rushing by with force enough to run spindles all along its upper course and why should not its banks be lined with factories? Here and there along the river also are fertile little valleys, rich slopes and undulations that are frostless, or so nearly so that oranges and lemons thrive.

"Why should not all such spots become orchards for semi-tropical fruits. When these possibil-

ities shall become actuality, may not we look for Daunt to become something more than 'the store and postoffice?'"

QUESTION UNANSWERED

Part of this early day prophesy has come true, as far as citrus development is concerned, but it is doubtful that the banks of the Tule will ever be lined by factories.

However, with the development of permanent pasture and constant improvement of cattle breeds, as exemplified by Avery and Ferguson and others in the Springville area, the question offered by the 1888 publication is still unanswered—"who knows what the future may have in store?"

State average for California olives is 50 per cent of a full crop, according to estimates by the California Crop and Livestock Reporting service. Although there was an original heavy bloom generally, the crop set is reported irregular in many orchards.

A new, early maturing variety of Fordhook lima bean is being shown at the Agronomy Field day on the University of California campus at Davis.

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4-H FAT STOCK SALE SEPT. 20 EXPECTED TO DRAW TOP BUYERS

Top buyers from the entire San Joaquin valley, in addition to a number of business men, are expected to be on hand the morning of September 20 to participate in the 4-H fat stock sale that will climax the 4-H show to be held as a feature of the Tulare-Kings County fair at Tulare.

The sale will be held in the fair grounds beginning at 10 o'clock in the morning. Prize-winning animals shown by 4-H boys and girls are expected to bring premium prices from representatives of meat packing concerns, grocery stores, restaurants and hotels.

Vernon Gill of Springville, who is assisting with sale and is in charge of publicity, states that 50 or more head of fat beef animals will be auctioned and about 60 head of fat hogs.

It is planned to make the fat stock sale an annual event, that will draw interested persons from throughout the valley. The premium prices paid go as an ex-

tra profit to the 4-H boy or girl showing and selling the animals.

Boundary Changed

A compromise boundary for the proposed Sierra View Hospital district between Strathmore and Lindsay was agreed upon at a hospital district hearing held Tuesday afternoon before the Tulare county board of supervisors, following protests by representatives of the Lindsay chamber of commerce and several Lindsay business men & property holders.

Originally intended to include the entire Strathmore High School district, the new north boundary line will be established so that only the Strathmore townsite will be included, with the old Sunnyside and Prairie Center school districts excluded.

As planned at present, the complete hospital district area will include the communities of Porterville, Strathmore, Springville, Terra Bella, Richgrove and Ducor, along with the other unincorporated area of the Porterville Union High School district.

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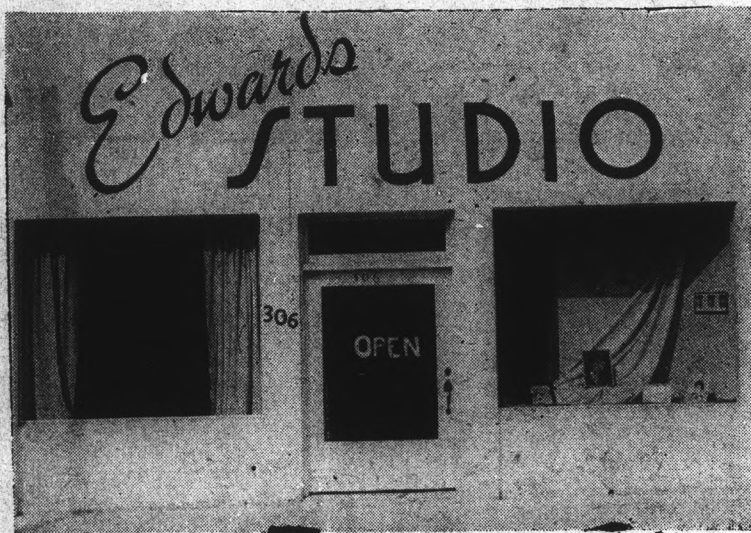
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